

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTERAppln. No. 09/955,858  
Response dated July 1, 2005  
Reply to Notice of June 22, 2005

JUL 01 2005

Attorney Docket No. 01589/LH

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT  
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Y. ARAI

Serial No. : 09/955,858

Filed : September 19, 2001

For : IMAGE DATA ACQUISITION  
METHOD

Art Unit : 1634

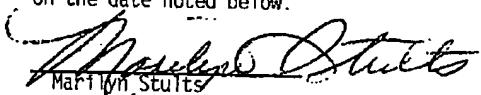
Examiner : Sally A. Sakelaris

Confirm. No.: 9888

Customer No.: 01933

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE  
TRANSMISSION  
TO NO.703-872-9306

TOTAL PAGES: 9

I hereby certify that this  
paper is being facsimile  
transmitted to the  
Commissioner for  
Patents Office  
on the date noted below.  
Marilyn StultsDated: July 1, 2005In the event that this Paper  
is late filed, and the  
necessary petition for  
extension of time is not filed  
concurrently herewith, please  
consider this as a Petition  
for the requisite extension of  
time, and to the extent not  
tendered by check attached  
hereto, authorization to  
charge the extension fee to  
Account No. 06-1378.RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF  
NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENTCommissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

S I R :

This is responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment  
dated June 22, 2005, the term for response to which expires July  
22, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims  
which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.